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INSERTION OF A STOARGE MEDIA INTO A HOST DEVICE
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Amendment After Allowance (2 pp.) Letter (2 pp.) Submission of Formal Drawings (1 p.)

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- this transmittal sheet (in triplicate). PTOL Forms 85B and 85C (3 pp.)
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Total additional fee for this Amendment:							\$	<u>0</u> .
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# AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE (37 C.F.R. § 1.312)

Sir:

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

### IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 2, delete lines 26-28.

# IN THE CLAIMS

63. (Five Times Amended) A method for automatically starting up a process in a host device based on insertion of a storage media into peripheral, comprising:

booting an operating system of the host device, said step of booting including checking for an initialization file; automatically enabling an interrupt;

automatically checking for a file [in] other than said initialization file at least one removable storage media associated with at least one peripheral on occurrence of said interrupt, said removable storage media being encoded with electronic content including said file;

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